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1. USG IS ACTIVELY CONSIDERING WITH FUND/BANK AND ROC ALTERNATIVE STRATEGIES TO PRC CHALLENGE INCLUDING THOSE THAT WOULD MAINTAIN A FINANCIAL RELATIONSHIP (E.G., CONTINUED DISBURSEMENT OF APPROVED LOANS, ETC.) BETWEEN THE ROC AND FUND/BANK.

2. AT IMF BOARD OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS (EDS) MEETING HELD OCTOBER 29 THERE WAS SIGNIFICANT SUPPORT FOR FURTHER STUDY OF FINANCIAL AND LEGAL IMPLICATIONS INVOLVED AND FOR AN APPROACH TO PRC FOR CLARIFICATION OF THEIR INTENTIONS. ALTHOUGH NO VOTE WAS TAKEN, WITTEVEEN, IMF MANAGING DIRECTOR, SAID IT WAS THE CONSENSUS OF BOARD THAT CONTACT BE MADE WITH PRC AND A REPORT MADE TO EDS IN NEAR FUTURE (PROBABLY BEFORE THE END OF THIS YEAR).

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3. OUTCOME OF IBRD EDS MEETING OCTOBER 30 WAS SIMILAR TO IMF MEETING EXCEPT THAT MCNAMARA, IBRD PRESIDENT, IN SUMMING UP ADDED THAT HE THOUGHT CONSENSUS OF MEETING WAS THAT ROC IMPROPERLY REPRESENTED CHINA AND THAT BANK SHOULD ACT POSITIVELY ON PRC REQUEST. HE ALSO MENTIONED WORKING OUT WITH ROC LIQUIDATION OF THEIR ASSETS.

4. REGARDING VIRATA PROPOSALS, ALTHOUGH FUND/BANK WILL APPROACH PRC, WE JUDGE IT HIGHLY UNLIKELY THAT ROC MEMBERSHIP COULD BE RETAINED INDEFINITELY GIVEN OTHER MEMBER GOVERNMENTS DESIRE FOR A QUICK RESOLUTION OF THE ISSUE TOGETHER WITH THEIR POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARD PRC REQUEST. WE WILL REMAIN IN CONTACT WITH PHILLIPINE GOVERNMENT AS SITUATION DEVELOPS. DETAILS OF IMF/IBRD BOARD MEETINGS WILL FOLLOW IN SEPTEL. KISSINGER

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